

FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

April 5, 2004

BY FACSIMILE TELECOPIER

Cassandra Lentchner Perkins Coie 607 Fourteenth Street N.W. Washington, D.C. 20005-2011

RE: MUR 5429, Friends of Weiner and Ira Spodek, as Treasurer

Dear Ms. Lentchner:

Pursuant to our telephone conversation on April 2, 2004, the Office of General Counsel has granted your request for a 15-day extension to respond to the Commission's Reason to Believe finding and Factual and Legal Analysis. Accordingly, your response is now due by the close of business on April 23, 2004. As we discussed, the granting of this extension of time is contingent upon your client agreeing to the enclosed tolling agreement. Please sign this agreement and return it to our office.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (202) 694-1573.

Sincerely,

Beth N. Mizuno